#Tomb100 Event Participation: What to Know

Planning to attend any of the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier Centennial Commemoration events on November 9-11? Here's what you need to know!

Flower Ceremony: Nov. 9-10, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

- ► Full details
- ► Register here: <u>anctomb100.eventbrite.com</u>

Getting There

- Gates open at 8:00 a.m.
- Click here to check Metro times.
- Watch our video, "How to Get to the #Tomb100 Flower Ceremony."
- <u>Parking</u> is limited. You may walk or take the free tram from outside the <u>Welcome</u> Center.
- Please arrive at the tram stop no later than 30 minutes prior to your flower-laying time slot.
- A government-issued photo ID is required for entrance into the cemetery.
- No containers (glass or otherwise), wreaths, bouquets or rolling luggage are permitted.
- There are no public lockers or hold areas at the cemetery.

At the Ceremony

- This event is ADA-accessible and stroller-friendly.
- You may bring your own flowers, but some will be distributed for free.
- No selfies are permitted at the Tomb.
- Interpretive talks will be given from the <u>Memorial Amphitheater</u> west steps (side closest to the <u>Mast of the Maine Memorial</u>) throughout the day.

Related Programs and Activities, Nov. 9-10

- Tour our **Tomb centennial exhibits** in the Welcome Center and the Display Room of the Memorial Amphitheater. From 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., **ANC curators** and historians will act as docents in the Display Room, offering short talks at the top of each hour. **Masks required**.
- Historians and curators will also offer interpretive talks in the Memorial Amphitheater, every hour on the half hour. Access the Amphitheater from the west steps. Click here for a schedule and topics.
- Visit the other unknowns buried throughout the cemetery: click here for a map.
- Take our self-guided walking tour of sites related to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Joint Honors Procession and Flyover: Nov. 11, 9:00 a.m.

Full details

- Free and open to the public; no tickets required.
- You must be on the procession route (inside the cemetery) **no later than 8:45 a.m.**
- The route is ADA-accessible and stroller-friendly.
- This event will take place rain or shine.
- Memorial Avenue and Eisenhower Drive will be closed for short periods of time to accommodate the procession.
- Click here for a map of the procession route.

Presidential Armed Forces Wreath Ceremony and National Veterans Day Observance: Nov. 11

- Due to COVID protocols, this event is invitation-only.
- A virtual program may be viewed on social media @ArlingtonNatl.

Public Access, Parking and Traffic Information: Nov. 9-11

- <u>All visitors must have a government-issued ID for access</u>. Cemetery entrances include:
 - Ord and Weitzel Gate (pedestrians only)
 - 123 Service Complex (pedestrians only)
 - Old Post Chapel Gate (family pass holder vehicle access/general public pedestrian access)
 - Memorial Ave (family pass holder vehicle access)
 - Welcome Center (pedestrian access)
 - Click here for a cemetery map.
- Expect delays in and around the cemetery, to include road closures in the immediate areas.
- <u>Family pass holders</u> will not be authorized to drive in the cemetery near the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier or park on nearby streets.
- Presentation of a <u>family pass</u> for your loved one's grave location will be required when driving near Memorial Amphitheater.